

**LCB File No. R054-01**

**NOTICE OF INTENT TO ACT UPON A REGULATION  
Notice of Hearing for the of Amendment of  
Regulations of the Nevada Board of Wildlife Commissioners  
(CGR 294-LCB File No. R055-01)**

The Board of Wildlife Commissioners will hold a public hearing at 1:30 p.m., on September 7, 2001, at the Pershing County Community Center, Rochester Room, 820 6<sup>th</sup>, Lovelock, Nevada. The purpose of the hearing is to receive comments from all interested persons regarding the adoption of regulation (CGR 294-R055-01) that pertain to chapter 502 of the Nevada Administrative Code.

The following information is provided pursuant to the requirements of NRS 233B.0603:

**1. The need for and the purpose of the proposed regulation or amendment.**

**Amends NAC 502.331 to increase the nonrefundable application fees to cover costs of the program. Amends NAC 502.334 to increase nonresident tag fees to increase needed funds for wildlife program.**

**2. The text of the proposed regulation: Attached**

**3A. The estimated economic effect of the regulation on the business which it is to regulate:**

- (a) Adverse effects: NA
- (b) Beneficial effects: NA
- (c) Immediate effects: NA
- (d) Long-term effects: NA

**3B. The estimated economic effect of the regulation on the public which it is to regulate:**

- (a) Adverse effects: Increases the application fees and nonresident tag fees.
- (b) Beneficial effects: Increased fees will cover program costs.
- (c) Immediate effects: NA
- (d) Long-term effects: NA

**4. The estimated cost to the agency for enforcement of the proposed regulation. \$NA**

**5. A description of and citation to any regulations of other state or local governmental agencies which the proposed regulation overlaps or duplicates: NA  
: The duplication or overlapping is necessary because NA.  
If the proposed regulation overlaps or duplicates a federal regulation, the notice must include the name of the regulating federal agency: NA.**

**6. If the regulation is required pursuant to federal law, a citation and description of the federal law: NA**

7. If the regulation includes provisions which are more stringent than a federal regulation that regulates the same activity, a summary of such provisions: NA

8. The proposed regulation establishes a new fee or increases an existing fee. X Yes.    No.

Persons wishing to comment upon the proposed action of Board of Wildlife Commissioners may appear at the scheduled public hearing or may address their comments, data, views or arguments, in written form, to the Secretary, Board of Wildlife Commissioners, 1100 Valley Road, Reno, Nevada, 89512. Written submissions must be received by the Secretary, Board of Wildlife Commissioners, on or before August 1, 2001. If no person who is directly affected by the proposed action appears to request time to make an oral presentation, the Board of Wildlife Commissioners may proceed immediately to act upon any written submissions.

A copy of this notice and the regulation to be adopted will be on file at the State Library, 100 Stewart Street, Carson City, Nevada, for inspection by members of the public during business hours. Additional copies of the notice and the regulation to be adopted will be available at:

Nevada Division of Wildlife, Headquarters 1100 Valley Road Reno, NV 89512	Nevada Division of Wildlife Western Region 380 W. "B" St. Fallon, NV 89406
Nevada Division of Wildlife Eastern Region 1375 Mountain City Highway Elko, NV 89801	Nevada Division of Wildlife Southern Region 4747 Vegas Dr. Las Vegas, NV 89108

and in all counties in which an office of the agency is not maintained, at the main public library, for inspection and copying by members of the public during business hours. This notice and the text of the proposed regulation are also available in the State of Nevada Register of Administrative Regulations, which is prepared and published monthly by the Legislative Counsel Bureau pursuant to NRS 233B.0653, and on the Internet at <http://www.leg.state.nv.us>. Copies of this notice and the proposed regulation will also be mailed to members of the public upon request. A reasonable fee may be charged for copies if it is deemed necessary.

Upon adoption of any regulation, the agency, if requested to do so by an interested person, either before adoption or within 30 days thereafter, will issue a concise statement of the principal reasons for and against its adoption and incorporate therein its reason for overruling the consideration urged against its adoption.

This notice of hearing has been posted at the above locations.

NOTE: We are pleased to make reasonable accommodations for members of the public who are disabled and wish to attend the meeting. If special arrangements for the meeting are necessary, please notify Suzanne Scourby, in writing, at the Nevada Division of Wildlife, 1100 Valley Road, Reno, Nevada 89512, or call Suzanne Scourby at 775-688-1599, as soon as possible.

**PROPOSED REGULATION OF THE  
BOARD OF WILDLIFE COMMISSIONERS**  
(This proposed regulation was previously adopted as LCB File No. T026-01)

**PROPOSED REGULATION OF THE BOARD OF WILDLIFE COMMISSIONERS  
COMMISSION GENERAL REGULATION 294  
(LCB File No. TEMPORARY)**

Authority: NRS 501.105, 501.181, 502.130, 502.160, 502.250

Explanation: Amends NAC 502.331 to increase the nonrefundable application fees to cover costs of the program. Amends NAC 502.334 to increase nonresident tag fees to increase needed funds for wildlife program.

NOTE: Matter in *italics* is new; matter within brackets ~~⌈~~ is to be omitted.

**Section 1.** NAC 502.331 is hereby amended to read as follows:

502.331 1. It is unlawful for any person to obtain more than one tag for an antelope, any subspecies of bighorn sheep, an elk or a mountain goat for a season.

2. An application for a tag must be:

(a) Completed in accordance with the regulations of the commission and the instructions on the application.

(b) Made for one applicant only. If two or more persons apply on one application, the application must be rejected.

3. The following nonrefundable fees must be charged for acting upon each application for a tag:

- (a) Elk tag..... ~~[\$10]~~ :
- (1) Resident, for 2001 (sunsets 12/31/01) .....\$11*
- (2) Resident, after 2001 .....12*
- (3) Nonresident.....15*

(b) Restricted nonresident deer tags .....	10
(c) Damage compensation tags .....	10
(d) Any other <i>resident</i> tag, other than a mountain lion tag.....	<del>5</del> :
(1) <i>For 2001</i> .....	6
(2) <i>After 2001</i> .....	7
(e) <i>Any other nonresident tag, other than a mountain lion tag</i> .....	10

**Sec. 2.** NAC 502.334 is hereby amended to read as follows:

- 502.334 1. A resident must pay \$20 for a tag for a special season to hunt deer.
2. A nonresident must pay the following fees for tags:
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|---------------------------------|---------------------|
| (a) Antelope.....               | \$250               |
| (b) Bighorn sheep.....          | <del>800</del> 1000 |
| (c) Deer (special seasons)..... | <del>150</del> 200  |
| (d) Mountain lion .....         | 100                 |
| (e) Elk.....                    | <del>500</del> 1000 |